

BATHROOM

Trash & Recycle

Trash:

- Broken hair tools
- Old soaps, body washes

Recycle: (Items should be empty, rinsed and dry before placing in recycle carts)

- aerosol cans
- plastic containers
- cardboard/paper

Hazardous Waste †

- Tub & tile cleaner
- Bleach
- Nail polish remover
- Hydrogen peroxide
- Lice medicine
- Hair dye/toner/bleach
- Perfumes
- Mercury Thermometer

Visit: LowellRecycle.org » HHWD

Donation

(clean & working order)

- Hair dryer
- Hair straightener/curler
- Electric shaver
- Towels
- Unopened soap



Sharps (Needles/ Syringes/ Lancets)†

Sharps may be disposed of at the following drop-off events/locations:

- **Lowell Senior Center**
Open Wed 9am-11am · 276 Broadway Street
- LowellRecycle.org » Material Saturday
- LowellRecycle.org » CHaRM
- LowellRecycle.org » HHWD

All items must be in **puncture proof containers**



Medicine Disposal

- NO sharps (needles), liquids, thermometers or other non-pharmaceutical wastes. **Pills only!**
- Medication must be in secured zip-lock bag no thicker than a sandwich.

Drop off at either two city kiosk locations:

Lowell Police Station

Open 24/7 · 50 Arcand Drive, Lowell MA (JFK Plaza)

Wallgreens (At Pharmacy)

Open 24/7 · 54 Plain Street, Lowell MA

BEDROOM

ALWAYS THINK DONATION FIRST

Mattress

Mattresses & box springs may be disposed of through the following events/services:

- **UTEC Curbside Collection**
(978) 856-3997 · www.utec-mattress.org
- LowellRecycle.org » CHaRM
» HHWD

Bedframe/Headboard

Bedframes and headboards can be picked up through Lowell bulky item collection.

Collections are scheduled by **appointment only**, and **require payment** over the phone.

Visit: LowellRecycle.org » Bulky Item Collection

Local Donations

Note: Please call ahead and check website for specific instructions on donations.

- **Lowell Wish Project**
(978) 441-WISH · thewishproject.org
- **Big Brother Big Sister**
(800) 483-5503 · bbbsfoundation.org
- **Habitat Restore**
(978) 649-1177 · LowellHabitat.org
- **Epilepsy Foundation**
(888) 322-8209 · EpilepsyNewEngland.org
- **Savers**
(844) 799-2050 · savers.com/donate

TEXTILES

Textiles make up 6% of trash collected (by the City), that means that 1,512 tons of good material is going to incineration annually.

Residents can make a huge difference by dropping textiles off at neighborhood collection boxes.

- Donation bin at every elementary school
- Donate to local donations on previous panel
- Find drop-off locations near you
visit: LowellRecycle.org » Textiles

Note: All donation items should be clean, dry, and bagged before placing into a donation bin. (Worn and Torn is okay!)



What's included:

- Clothing (shirts, pants, dress etc.)
- Jackets
- Shoes
- Curtains
- Table cloths/ runners
- Potholders/oven Mitts
- Aprons
- Bed sheets
- Comforters
- Blankets
- Towels
- Small (cloth) rugs

MORE INFORMATION

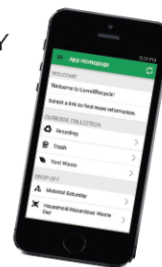
Check out Lowell's Waste Wizard

- Look up items for proper disposal procedure and drop-off locations
- Find recycle and up-scale options
- www.LowellRecycle.org » Waste Wizard

NEVER MISS COLLECTION DAY

**DOWNLOAD
THE FREE APP
"LowellRecycle"**

WEEKLY REMINDERS,
ALERTS, TIPS



Note: Items marked with † are banned from regular trash disposal.

Contact Us

Find us online at: www.LowellRecycle.org

- Email: recycle@lowellma.gov
- Telephone: 978-674-4309



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MOVE OUT GUIDE VOLUME 5: BEDROOM & BATHROOM



A guide to waste management and recycling when moving out of a home.

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